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For : HIGHLY CORROSION-RESISTANT HOT-DIP GALVANIZED  
STEEL PRODUCT EXCELLENT IN SURFACE SMOOTHNESS  
AND FORMABILITY AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING SAME

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**Mail Stop AMENDMENT**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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**TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

SIR:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment/Response in the above-identified patent application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below.

	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT NUMBER EXTRA	RATE (\$)	FEE (\$)
TOTAL CLAIMS	6	minus	20	0	52.00	0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	6	minus	6	0	220.00	0.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM ADDED				0	390.00	0.00
TOTAL DUE						<b>0.00</b>

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required to Deposit Account 11-0600. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

☒ A petition for a three (3) month extension of time and Deposit Account authorization to cover the extension fee are enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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